

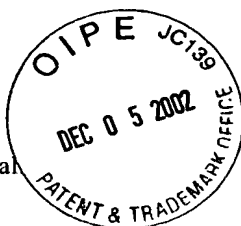
Docket No. 215918US0

IN RE APPLICATION OF: Yuki MIYAZAWA, et al

SERIAL NO: 09/987,549

FILED: November 15, 2001

FOR: TILLERING PROMOTER FOR PLANT AND METHOD FOR TILLERING PROMOTION OF PLANT



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Transmitted herewith is an **amendment with marked up copy** in the above-identified application.

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- ☐ Small entity status of this application under 37 C.F.R. §1.9 and §1.27 is claimed.
- ☐ Additional documents filed herewith:

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AMENDMENT

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SIR:

Responsive to the Official Action dated September 6, 2002, please amend the above-identified application as follows.

IN THE CLAIMS

Please cancel Claims 1- 7 in favor of new Claims 9-12.

A 4 9. (Newly Added) A tillering promoter for a plant, comprising:

a two-component kit wherein one kit contains at least one amino acid selected from the group consisting of arginine, glutamine and proline for application to leaf surfaces and the second kit contains inosine for application to the subterranean part(s) of the plant.

10. (Newly Added) The tillering promoter for a plant according to claim 9, wherein the plant treated is lawn grass.

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